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An open letter to Dr. Dobson 7-15-94
Founder of Focus on the Family

Dear Dr. Dobson,

How can you as a friend of children justify your fund raising tactics while the lives of our future generation are at such grave risk ? Using questionable research and statistics to justify your position that homosexuals are responsible for the bulk of sexual abuse on children. For this problem we don't need opinion and facts from Dr. Paul Cameron , Kevin Tebedo , Childrens Hospitol or Dr. Mel White to show just where the dangers are for our children. The truth is there every morning when you wake up. In your local newspaper.

All the facts and figures we need are in black and white. The articles about sexual abuse on children all too often involve straight Uncle Fred, married Cousin Joe, and the most evil of them all Step Father John. Overwhelmingly the molester is living the straight lifestyle. You Dr. Dobson see it every day just as we all do when reading the papers. But yet in the name of fundraising you continue to warn about the dangers to children from homosexuality. Pointing your judgemental finger at the homosexual , you are misleading the parents about where the true dangers to their children lie. Your fundraising efforts create a hysteria of fear in the minds of parents litterally blinding them to the actual dangers their children face.

Mother Joan is afraid to let her children play down the street because of the gay couple living there. While her mind is at ease comforted in the knowledge that her two young daughters are at home safe under the protection of Step Father John. The newspaper tells you everyday that her children are most likely to be abused from whithin the circle of friends and family.

You have been so helpful in many ways lending guidance in the upbringing of children , on the very forefront of problem solving for the family. I am sure the pressures of fundraising are tremendous , the overhead of your empire must be overwhelming. For the sake of raising dollars you have put our children at grave risk. Why have you sold out todays youth to maintain that castle on the hill you have built. You owe your many followers and the children of the world a just answer to this growing family problem. For the sake of our childrens safety we hope you will use a more honest approach in fundraising.

Sincerely
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